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IN REPLY REFER TO:

5720 DON-NAVY-2020-006346 May 5, 2020

Ms. Rose Santos FOIA Group, Inc. P.O. Box 368 Depew, NY 14043

Subj: YOUR FOIA REQUEST (DON-NAVY-2020-006346)

Dear Ms. Santos:

This letter is in response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request of March 31, 2020, for information pertaining to the award of Contract N40080-18-R-1044. Your requests seeks records showing the winning contractor(s), contract number(s), award/expiration dates, and total contract values including all option periods.

After a thorough research of your request, NAVFAC does not have records responsive because no solicitation has been issued.

You have the right to an appeal. It must be received within 90 calendar days from the date of this letter. Please provide a letter requesting an appeal, with a copy of your initial request and a copy of the letter of denial, in an envelope marked "Freedom of Information Act Appeal." You are encouraged (though not required) to provide an explanation why you believe the redactions were inappropriate or our search was inadequate. Also, please provide a copy of your appeal letter to us at Naval Facilities Engineering Command Washington, 1314 Harwood Street, SE, Washington Navy Yard, DC 20374.

There are two ways to file an appeal—through FOIAonline or by mail.

1. Through FOIAonline: Go to https://www.foiaonline.gov/foiaonline/action/public/home/. Locate your request (enter a keyword or the request tracking number in the "Search" field), click on it, then the "Create Appeal" tab in the left-hand column. Complete the subsequent field, click "Save," and

FOIAonline will submit your appeal.

2. By mail: Address your appeal to:

Department of the Navy Office of the General Counsel 1000 Navy Pentagon, Room 5A532 Washington, DC 20350-1000

If you have any questions, please contact the FOIA coordinator at abby.machalec@navy.mil, (202) 685-9269. You may also contact the Department of the Navy (DON) FOIA Public Liaison, Christopher Julka, at christopher.a.julka@navy.mil, (703)697-0031. In addition, the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) provides a voluntary mediation process for resolving disputes between persons making FOIA requests and the DON. For more information, go to https://www.archives.gov/ogis/about-ogis/contact-information.

Sincerely,

B. M. VOGEL
By direction